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**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Applicant(s) hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated April 16, 2007 finally rejecting Claims 1, 3, 4 and 6-8 of the above-identified application.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1.  An extension of time to respond to the final rejection was granted on for month(s).
2.  A Petition For Extension Of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 is attached hereto in triplicate.
3.  A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.

4.  Fee \$320.00: for filing of Notice of Appeal  
 Not required (fee paid in prior appeal)  
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